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Dear Rush Strong Parents:

As most of you know we are well underway with our Fall Toy & Clothing Drive plans. We begin taking donations of **new** toys, clothing, shoes & coats next week. Each day students who bring in something will receive a token and have their name placed in a drawing. They get their name put in for the drawing each time they bring in something (if they bring in something everyday that will be 5 chances to win at the end of the week). At the end of each week we will have a drawing and student come to the counseling office to pick a prize. We will do this every week through December 10th.

For those of you who are not familiar with our Fall Toy & Clothing Drive here at Rush Strong, each year our Cool Character Club students sponsor a Clothing & Toy Drive and we use these donations to help with our Christmas for the Children Project. As of today we have 131 children on this needs list. Last year was a huge success and I sincerely hope that this year will be as well. Again we are asking for your support in sponsoring children. If you, your company, church group, Sunday school class, organization, or family would be willing to sponsor a child, or children please fill out the attached form and return it to school as soon as possible.

Donations and sponsorships are tax-deductible and are greatly appreciated. We have done this for five years now and it is my belief that the Spirit of Christmas is truly found here. As great as the needs have been, and they increase each year, we always get every child taken. This is amazing for a school and community our size. Each child on our list this year will receive an outfit, pack of socks, pack of underwear, and a toy. We hope we can count on you for a generous donation or sponsorship of a child. If you would like to sponsor a child or children we will provide you with the age, sizes, and needs of a

child. We will provide a party with Santa this year, a few days prior to Christmas for them to receive their gifts and meet Santa.

Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to whatever support you can provide. We realize that things are tough for everyone but in the works of our students “if everyone would do a little, we could do so much”.

If you require additional information, please feel free to contact my office and I will be happy to answer any questions you may have. Please fill out and return the attached form. This will help in our planning. If you are sending your donation in the form of a check, please make it payable to [Cool Character Club Christmas Project]. All donations and sponsored items need to be returned to Rush Strong School by December 7th. When you return the attached form we will get the information back to you within a week for a child you can sponsor. (for those wanting to sponsor a child).

Sincerely,

Angie Davis, Counselor

Cool Character Club Sponsor



“Cool Character Club”
Christmas Project

_____ I would like to have sizes sent to me to buy for a
specific child/children.

of children wanted _____
size or age desired _____
Boy or Girls _____

_____ I would like to donate clothing, toys, pack of underwear or
socks

Date to bring to school

_____ I would like to make a donation in the following amount
_____ Check # _____
Make payable to “Cool Character Club Christmas Project”

Company/Organization Name _____

Name of Contact Person _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____